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- Mysuru Development Authority moves proposal to Government
- Cites lack of Police support in protecting & recovering illegally occupied MDA properties
- 50 LIG houses built by CITB, now MDA, illegally occupied by people with political blessings

Mysuru, Oct. 17 (RK&BCT)- The Mysuru Development Authority (MDA) will soon have its own dedicated Police force to provide security to officers and staff during eviction drives aimed at clearing encroachments on MDA-owned lands and houses.

Confirming this to *Star of Mysore* today, MDA Commissioner K.R. Rakshith said officials often face challenges during eviction operations as they depend on jurisdictional Police Stations for protection to maintain law and order.

"However, most of the time, the local Police Stations are unable to provide adequate support due to other commitments and engagements. We have to work around their schedules, which hampers the effectiveness of encroachment-clearance drives," he said.

When the issue was discussed with Deputy Commissioner G. Lakshmikanth Reddy, who also serves as MDA Chairman, he directed MDA to prepare a proposal seeking a dedicated Police force that would exclusively assist MDA staff in eviction and property protection operations.

"Accordingly, a proposal is being prepared to establish an MDA Police Force headed by one ACP, two Inspectors, four Sub-Inspectors and 24 Constables," he said.

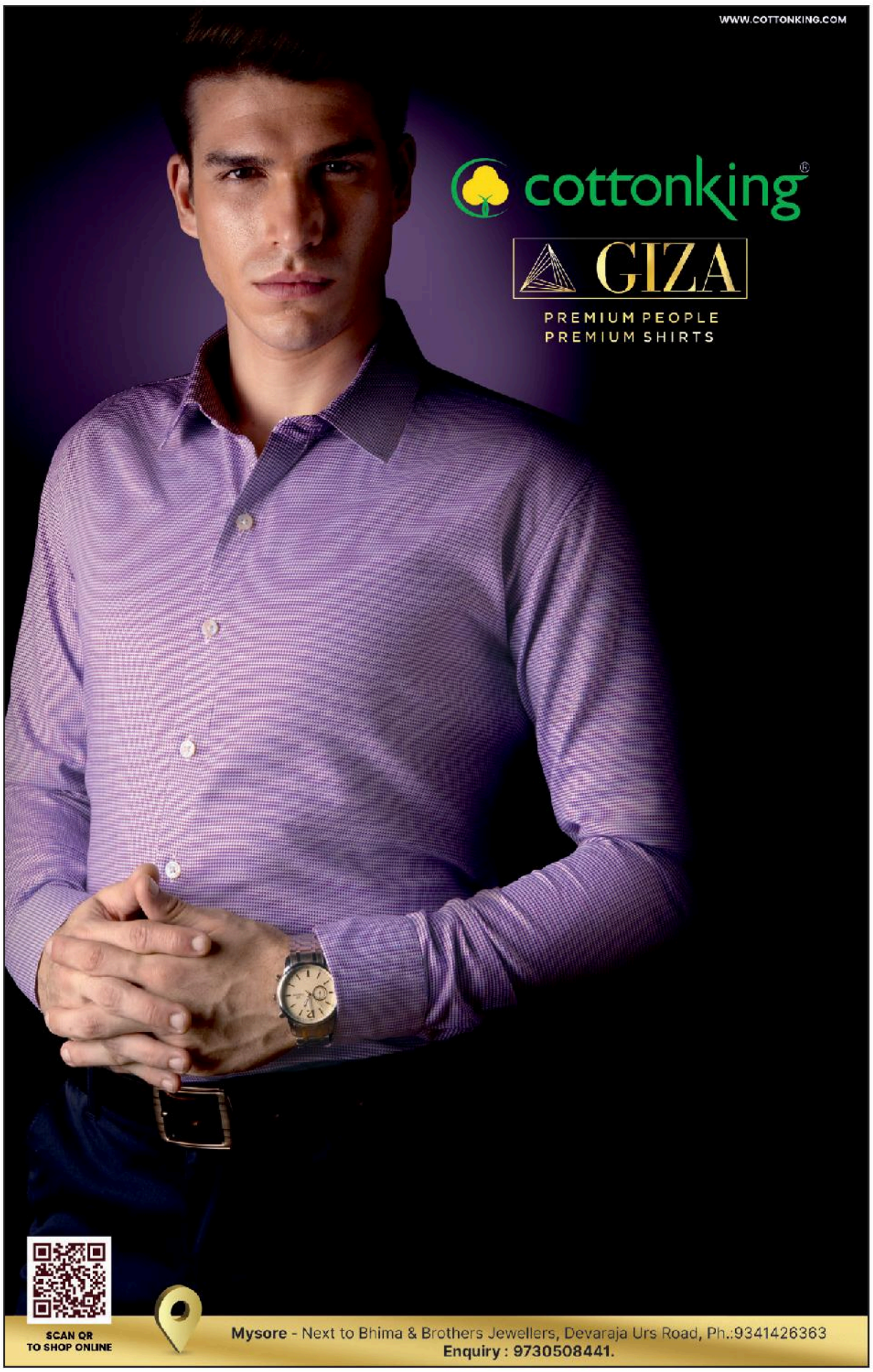
"This force will function exclusively for MDA operations, eliminating our dependence on Civil Police for protection and support. The DC has assured that the proposal will be sent to Government for necessary approval," he added.

Task Force to safeguard MDA assets

Alongside the proposal for a dedicated Police wing, MDA has also constituted three Task Forces to safeguard its assets. The first Task Force will be headed by Officer M.S. Mahesh with K.V. Rajashekar, N.K. Bharath Kumar, T. Manjunath, P. Raghu and T.M. Sachin as members. This team will carry out a comprehensive physical inspection of MDA properties that have been encroached upon or where unauthorised constructions have taken place.

Once encroachments are confirmed, eviction proceedings will be initiated without delay. The reclaimed property will be formally handed over to MDA and protective measures such as fencing and installation of warning boards will be implemented to prevent further violations.

(See TASK FORCE on page 7)



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Mysuru, Friday 17th October 2025

BABU'S BANTER

By M.V. Nagendra Babu

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

THE TASTE OF SUCCESS: ***The Sports Day at a kindergarten annually showcased many colourful drills, a march past and races. The aim was not about winning or losing; it was seen more as fun and an opportunity for interaction between parents, children and teachers. Children absorb every new experience, and outdoor activity shapes them well beyond books.***

Every year, teachers and staff dug deep and worked on all the detailing, and the efficient teamwork ensured no stone was left unturned for the event's success. From the time of their arrival, the parents captured every angle and move on their cameras.

The excitement reached its peak when their children lined up on the start line of the race. Right from the word 'Go', parents followed the little champs. Their loud cheering could be heard ringing all around the arena. Towards the finish, parents were again busy adjusting the camera, capturing the little steps into the winning frame. With their adrenaline pumping high, the race ended amidst millions of clicks.

Calming themselves, parents then eagerly awaited the results. When results were announced, a few parents objected to this outcome and started to argue. In the aftermath, things led to an ugly fight and discontentment. When things began to get out of control, management decided to step in, and eventually, the battle snowballed into the Principal's Office for reviewing the nail-biting finish in a 50 m race.

After a lot of discussions and dialogues, all contenders were given prizes. This disgruntled victory may have tasted sweet to a few parents, but the bitterness of that incident can still be felt by many parents. After that year the school closed its doors for parents on sports day, making it an 'in-house' affair. 'Success tastes sweet when its secret is sweat.' Winning that race was not the end of the road; it was more as if the egos were at stake. A Buddhist quote reads, "Expecting and accepting are two different things in life. Where expecting ends in tears, accepting may bring some cheer."

Success won on a battleground cannot guarantee happiness. After winning the great battle of Kurukshetra against their own cousins, the Pandavas never felt victorious or celebrated their success. The battle fought for righteousness and dharma witnessed only death and destruction, as war had consumed too many souls. Ultimately, they renounced the mortal world and moved beyond to the heavenly abode.

—Priya Anand in Deccan Herald

NEWS SPARKLERS

Pregnant lady changes her eye colour

Moscow: A young woman went viral on Russian social media after claiming that she underwent a procedure to change her eye colour during her pregnancy so that her baby would be born with the new eye colour.

There are many procedures that allow people to change their eye colour. Apart from artificial iris implants, there are laser procedures through which melanin from the surface of the iris is removed, turning brown eyes into blue ones in just 20 seconds.

Speaking to a doctor on his popular podcast, the young cosmetologist said that she changed her eye colour before giving birth so she could have a blue-eyed daughter, adding that she was convinced her DNA would rearrange itself to mirror the changes. Somehow, the hosts of the podcast kept their cool throughout her explanation, but the public roasted her in the comments.

Decoration becomes a nightmare

Columbia: A South Carolina couple turned their home into a burning house Halloween decoration so realistic that people have been reporting it as an actual fire.

Amanda Peden and Sam Lee are passionate about Halloween decorations. In 2021, they unveiled a broken plane with skeleton passengers, one of whom hung from a tree, secured by a parachute, in their front yard. A year later, they built a car accident, with an upside-down van featuring a skeleton stuck inside.

But in 2023 they showcased their burning home decoration for first time. It's a clever combination of smoke machines, deceptive lighting and camera work, but the effect is so realistic that even two years on, people still call the local fire department to report a house fire when they drive past the home.

HEALTH CAPSULE

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South India Zone Electricity Consumers Convention in Bengaluru on Oct. 26

Mysuru, Oct. 17 (GA&VNS)- The South India Zone Electricity Consumers' Convention organised by All India Electricity Consumers' Association (AIECA) will be held at Gandhi Bhavan located near Kumara Park East in Bengaluru on Oct. 26 from 10.30 am, said Association General Secretary K. Venugopal Bhat.

Addressing the mediapersons at Pathrakarthara Bhavan here, Venugopal said the Convention would focus on opposing the privatisation of power sector, implementation of smart meters and 36 paise per unit surcharge.

He said the Convention would be inaugurated by Association President Swapan Gosh.

Social activist M.G. Devasahayam, Samyukta Krishi Morcha Convenor Vadde Shobhana Drishwararao, Tamil Nadu Power Engineers Society President S. Gandhi, Kerala Janakiya Prathirodha Samithi State Vice-President B. Dileepan will deliver speeches on the occasion.

Representatives from Andhra Pradesh, Kerala, Karnataka, Puducherry, Tamil Nadu and Telangana will be taking part in the Convention.

Association's District Convenor V. Yashodhara, State Executive Committee Member M.N. Ranganath and others were present.

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VOICE OF THE READER

MCC refusing to clear UGD overflow despite follow-ups

Sir,

I wish to draw the attention of Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) Commissioner to a long-standing problem faced by residents of 11th Main, 21st Cross, D-Block, J.P. Nagar. For the past year, the underground drainage (UGD) line has been overflowing twice every month and sewage flows into the open drain in front of our house. This has resulted in an unbearable stench and unhygienic conditions, making it extremely difficult to live in our own homes. The situation is so severe that even sitting indoors has become unpleasant and it has started to affect our health.

Despite repeated complaints to the MCC helpline, the issue is only temporarily resolved. The staff attend to it after a few days, but the problem recurs soon after. The helpline is also difficult to reach as there is only one landline for all complaints.

The UGD workers and the Health Inspector have advised us to raise this matter publicly so that the higher authorities can take permanent action. One of our neighbours has even sold their house due to this persistent nuisance. We pay substantial property taxes and expect at least a clean and livable environment in return. We, therefore, request the concerned officials to take urgent and permanent steps to resolve this UGD issue.

— A Concerned Resident

Mysuru 15.10.2025

Special train service between Mysuru-Jaipur

Mysuru, Oct. 17- To clear the extra rush of passengers during Deepavali, the Railway Board has approved operation of Special Express Trains between Mysuru and Jaipur for two trips in each direction.

Train No. 06231 Mysuru-Jaipur Express Special will depart from Mysuru at 23.55 hrs on Oct. 18 and 25 and arrive in Jaipur at 18.40 hrs on the following Monday.

In return direction, Train No. 06232 Jaipur-Mysuru Express Special will depart from Jaipur at 04.00 hrs on Oct. 21 and 28 and arrive in Mysuru at 03.30 hrs on Thursday.

However, Train No. 06231 will skip Sabarmati BG halt on its journey towards Jaipur and Train No. 06232 will skip Ahmedabad halt on its return journey to Mysuru. The special train will consist of 18 coaches, comprising 2 AC Two-Tier, 12 AC Three-Tier, 2 Sleeper Class and 2 Second Class Luggage-cum-Brake Vans.

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University of Mysore's Department of Studies in Botany faculty Dr. K.N. Amrutesh, who is also the Director of IQAC (Internal Quality Assessment Cell) has been selected for the prestigious Fellowship of the National Academy of Sciences.

Ayurveda Camp

JSS Ayurveda Hospital, Lalithadripura Road, Alanahalli, Mysuru, will be conducting Ayurveda camp for 'Migraine and other types of Headache' from Oct. 15 to 21 at its premises between 9.30 am and 4.30 pm. Patients suffering from migraine with symptoms like one sided headache, pulsating headache, nausea, vomiting or hyper sensitivity to light or sound, may avail the benefits of the camp. [Mob: 97405-29360 or 94482-11075]

Free eye check-up

As part of Deepavali Festival, city's Annapoorna Eye Hospital, located on New Kantharaj Urs Road, Sharadadevinagar, is organising a free 12-day eye check-up camp for senior citizens at its premises from Oct. 20 to 31. Senior citizens are appealed to make good use of this camp. For details, contact: Ph: 0821- 4263333, Mob: 88922-40562.

Obituary

Shanthakumar

Mysuru, Oct. 17- Shanthakumar (78), retired KSRTC Officer and a resident of Jayanagar (Boodigundi), passed away yesterday at a private hospital in city.

He leaves behind his wife Radhamma, sons Venkatesh, Manjunath and Chandrashekar, daughters-in-law, grand-children, brothers, sisters and a host of relatives and friends. Last rites were held at the family's farm land at Prashanthnagar in city this morning.

Shankaranarayana

Pandavapura: Shankaranarayana (80), a resident of Katteri village in Pandavapura taluk, passed away yesterday at the village. He leaves behind one son, two daughters and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were held this afternoon at the village.

Tiger injures farmer during combing operation in Saragur

Injured undergoes facial reconstruction surgery at Apollo BGS Hospital

Mysuru, Oct. 17 (MTY&KS)- A farmer sustained serious injuries and has been admitted to a Apollo BGS Hospital in city after a tiger attacked and struck his face with its claws during a combing operation at Badagalapura village in Saragur taluk coming under Bandipur Tiger Reserve yesterday.

The injured farmer is 48-year-old Mahadeva of Badagalapura village.

A combing operation to capture a tiger which had strayed out of the forest was being conducted during which a large crowd including Mahadeva had gathered to watch the operation.

During the operation, a few people threw stones on the tiger which was hiding among the bushes. The tiger jumped out of the bushes and ran towards the crowd striking Mahadeva with its claws when he came in front of it, injuring him on his head, face and both his eyes.

Mahadeva was immediately rushed to Apollo Hospital in Mysuru by the Forest Department personnel and villagers. Sources at the hospital said that Mahadeva was out of danger and a surgery was being conducted on him this morning.

Combing operation

About three to four days ago, a tiger was spotted in the agricultural land on the fringes of the forest and the Forest Department was informed about it.

Yesterday, the Forest Department personnel began to conduct the combing operation with the help of tiger capture expert elephant Abhimanyu and another elephant Bhagirata.

When the Forest staff spotted the tiger among the bushes and getting ready to tranquillise it, the tiger fled from the bushes and hid among other bushes at a distance.

Meanwhile, a large crowd of villagers had gathered to watch the combing operation during which a few people pelted stones on the tiger which lunged forward and ran towards the crowd. As Mahadeva came in front of the tiger, it struck him on his face with its sharp claws injuring him seriously.

Large crowd gather

When villagers heard that Abhimanyu and Bhagirata had come for the combing operation to capture the tiger, they gathered in large number to watch the combing operation.

The tiger is said to be a female aged between 10 and 11 years which was suffering from injuries on its front leg. The Forest staff, who traced the tiger hiding among the bushes, decided to capture it. Veterinarian Dr. Ramesh, armed with a tranquilliser gun and dart, mounted Abhimanyu and began to move towards the bushes to tranquillise the tiger.

The tiger, which saw the elephant approaching, ran away from the bushes only to be followed by the crowd behind it. The tired tiger again took shelter among the bushes during which a few people in the crowd pelted stones on it prompting it to run towards them.

As the tiger was running towards the crowd, it leaped and struck Mahadeva's face with its sharp claws just once resulting in Mahadeva falling on the ground with his face torn and injuries to his head and eyes besides bleeding profusely. The crowd sensing danger again pelted stones on the tiger making it flee from the spot.

Meanwhile, the villagers pelted stones on the Forest Department vehicles damaging them besides allegedly assaulting a few Forest personnel. As the villagers had damaged the vehicles, the Forest staff was unable to bring the cage to the spot, thus hampering the operation.

Meanwhile, the villagers have accused the Forest Department of not taking precautionary steps during the combing operation and also accused the Police Department for not deploying Police personnel to manage the crowd which led to the tiger attacking and injuring the farmer seriously,

Assistant Conservator of Forests (ACF) Satish, Range Forest Officer (RFO) Vivek and other Forest Department personnel were present.

Back-to-back robberies of Kerala traders rock Kodagu

Gold traders returning from Mysuru robbed of Rs. 10 lakh; two abducted

Madikeri, Oct. 17 (PS&BCT)- Two back-to-back robberies targeting businessmen from Kerala, who frequently use the Kannur–Makutta route via Kodagu to reach Mysuru for business dealings, have shaken the district after a brief lull. The twin incidents have put the Police on high alert.

On Wednesday, a Kerala businessman named Appus was brutally assaulted and robbed of Rs. 10 lakh cash and his purse near Balugodu village in Kodagu while enroute to Mysuru via Gonikoppal–Hunsur route.

Even before the shock of this daylight robbery could settle, another violent heist was reported near Perumbadi on the Kodagu–Kerala border, where two gold traders were abducted early yesterday morning.

The incident occurred when three traders — 36-year-old Ganesh, 35-year-old Santosh and 30-year-old Radeesh, all residents of Koothuparamba in Kerala — were returning from Mysuru after selling gold and carrying Rs. 10 lakh cash.

As they were driving towards Koothuparamba via Perumbadi in their car (KA-19-MH-4826), a gang of 7–8 assailants in two Kerala-registered vehicles intercepted them.

The gang attacked the trio, looted Rs. 10 lakh cash and abducted Ganesh and Santosh, leaving Radeesh grievously injured. He is now undergoing treatment at Virajpet Government Hospital. A case has been registered at the Virajpet Rural Police Station.

The twin robberies within days have left Kodagu on edge. The Police have launched an extensive manhunt, enforcing *nakabandis* across the district and inspecting all outbound vehicles. Authorities are treating both cases with utmost seriousness and have invoked multiple legal sections to crack down on the culprits.

Man held for murdering wife

Accused Devaraju

Mysuru, Oct. 17 (PM,RK&KS)- A man allegedly murdered his wife by slitting her throat at Jattihundi village in the taluk yesterday. The deceased is Savitha (37) of Gopalapura village in the taluk and the accused husband is 49-year-old Devaraju. They were married 16 years ago and they have a 13-year-old daughter.

Devaraju, who was addicted to liquor, used to come home drunk daily and reportedly torture Savitha. Fed up with frequent fights, Savitha had left her home six months ago and was working at an old age home near Jattihundi village and stay there itself.

Preliminary investigation revealed that Devaraju was angry on Savitha as she had sent a divorce notice, Police said.

Yesterday morning, Savitha came out to go to K.R. Hospital for a therapy. Devaraju, who came there, asked her to get on the bike. When Savitha refused, Devaraju, took out a knife which he had brought, stabbed Savitha on her stomach, slit her throat and fled from the spot.

Yelwal Police, who reached the spot, conducted mahazar, registered a case and shifted the body to MMC&RI mortuary besides launching a hunt to nab Devaraju. The Police traced Devaraju at a farm near Jayapura and took him into custody last midnight.

Post-mortem was conducted this morning and the body was handed over to the family members.

Kerala bizman's robbery case

Maharashtra Cop among 5 arrested

Madikeri, Oct. 17 (PS&BCT)- The Kodagu Police have arrested five suspects in connection with the recent robbery near Balugodu in Virajpet, where Appus, a Kerala-based hotelier and gold trader, was targeted. Shockingly, one among them is a Head Constable from the Maharashtra Police Department, according to preliminary reports.

The victim, identified as Appus, a resident of Calicut, Kerala, was intercepted while travelling by car. The gang allegedly looted Rs. 10 lakh cash and a mobile phone. A case was registered at Virajpet Rural Police Station.

During investigation, the Police nabbed five accused — Sachin Yamaji Dhoodhal (24), an autorickshaw driver from Sangli, Maharashtra; Baba Saheb Chougal (32), a Head Constable serving at Kalwa Police Station in Thane City; Aba Saheb Shendage; Yuvaraj Sindhe (25) and Bandu Hakke (20). Efforts are underway to identify and locate other members of the gang involved in the crime.

Karnataka Cabinet bars RSS from public events

Why no action against those who raised pro-Pakistan slogans, asks BJP

Bengaluru, Oct. 17 (UNI)- The Karnataka Cabinet yesterday decided to restrict public activities by organisations, including the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh (RSS), without prior permission from authorities.

The decision follows widespread concern over a recent Statewide RSS march past, which sparked debate within the Cabinet.

Law and Parliamentary Affairs Minister H.K. Patil said the move is not aimed at singling out any single organisation to avoid legal complications. "We are including all organisations and making official permission mandatory," he said.

Patil added that the Cabinet is considering banning such programmes in public spaces, schools and private venues, following a model similar to Tamil Nadu's restrictions on RSS activities in public places. The Home Ministry is expected to issue detailed orders after reviewing the Tamil Nadu directive.

The RSS issue has heightened tensions between the ruling Congress and opposition BJP, especially during the centenary celebrations of RSS organisation. IT & BT Minister Priyank Kharge had urged the Chief Minister to ban RSS activities in Karnataka, prompting alleged threat calls to him following his appeal.

Diverting public attention

BJP State President B.Y. Vijayendra has alleged that the Congress-led State Government is invoking the name of RSS to divert public attention from its own failures.

In a post on X, he criticised the Government for inaction against those who raised pro-Pakistan slogans and for not banning organisations like PFI and KFD, which he described as anti-national. "The Government has failed to take even minimal steps to curb their activities," he stated.

Vijayendra emphasised that since Independence, the RSS has consistently engaged in dedicated service and patriotic initiatives. "Attempts to suppress the Sangh have been ongoing for decades, yet it continues to grow with the support and blessings of millions across the country," he said.

Union Minister Shobha Karandlaje echoed these concerns at a press conference, accusing Congress of attempting to ban the RSS in a few States where it holds power. "This is sheer folly. What happened when the RSS was banned in 1948? Did arresting BJP leaders during the Emergency yield any results?" she questioned.

She added, "The RSS, which stood firm even against Nehru and Indira Gandhi, will hardly be intimidated by Priyank Kharge, who lives off his father's name, or Siddaramaiah, who fights daily for his chair. The RSS is a mighty tree — it has seen many such Governments come and go."

State may adopt TN-like curbs on RSS: Dr. Yathindra

Mysuru, Oct. 17 (BLU&BCT)- MLC Dr. Yathindra Siddaramaiah has stated that Karnataka may implement regulations similar to those in Tamil Nadu concerning the activities of the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh (RSS).

Speaking to reporters at Jaladarshini Guest House in city yesterday, he clarified that while the Government is not seeking to ban the RSS, it will enforce rules that restrict unauthorised public marches and events.

"In Tamil Nadu, the RSS is required to obtain permission for organising events. Karnataka will follow the same model," he said and emphasised that public processions or activities in schools and colleges without prior Government approval will not be permitted.

"How can RSS be allowed to conduct marches in parks without any authorisation? If there is one law for the entire country, why should RSS be treated differently?" he asked.

Yathindra criticised the RSS for attempting to impose its ideological framework, asserting that the Constitution applies equally to all citizens. "RSS is not above the Constitution," he remarked.

Transfer-related dealings

When asked to respond to former MP Prathap Simha's allegation that he, as CM Siddaramaiah's son, was involved in transfer-related dealings, Dr. Yathindra declined to comment. "Even his own party (BJP) doesn't take him seriously. I don't respond to questions from people passing by on the street," he said.

NIMHANS branch to come up in Mysuru; Rs. 50 crore sanctioned

Bengaluru, Oct. 17 (KMS& BCT)- The State Cabinet has approved the establishment of branches of the National Institute of Mental Health and Neuro Sciences (NIMHANS) at the Medical College Hospitals in Mysuru and Kalaburagi, with an allocation of Rs. 100 crore.

Following the model of Jayadeva Institute of Cardiology, which has expanded across various regions of the State, the Government has decided to similarly expand NIMHANS.

Until now, patients suffering from neurological disorders, mental illnesses, or head injuries due to accidents had to seek treatment exclusively at the Bengaluru NIMHANS facility. With increasing pressure on the Bengaluru centre and the need to provide care locally, the Cabinet has approved Rs. 50 crore each for the new branches.

Additionally, administrative approval has been granted for the purchase of equipment to establish a new vascular surgery unit at the Sanjay Gandhi Institute of Trauma and Orthopaedics, at an estimated cost of Rs. 26.09 crore.

The Cabinet has also approved the launch of a 100-bed super-speciality hospital within the premises of the Vijayapura District Hospital.

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Creating Divine Cinema

Rishab Shetty during his visit to Mysuru at Hotel Radisson Blu Plaza yesterday.

His entry into the Kannada film industry was as modest as any outsider's, but the impact he has made has turned him into a phenomenon. A key member of the celebrated wave of movie-makers from Dakshina Kannada region, Rishab Shetty has redefined Kannada cinema.

From his powerful storytelling and distinctive screenplays in films like *Kirik Party, Sarkari Hiriya Prathamika Shaale, Kantara* and *Kantara - Chapter 1,* he now stands among the elite actors of Sandalwood who can not only write, produce and act but also direct the movies!

His latest offering, *Kantara - Chapter 1,* a prequel to the 2022 hit *Kantara,* has taken the country by storm, captivating audiences across all the languages in which it has been released.

***Star of Mysore* caught up with Rishab Shetty for a brief conversation during his visit to Mysuru at Hotel Radisson Blu Plaza yesterday.** Excerpts…

Star of Mysore (SOM): What is your reaction to* Kantara - Chapter 1 *becoming a blockbuster?

Rishab Shetty: I've always believed that instead of us talking about our success, it's the people who should speak through their appreciation. Both *Kantara* films have been embraced with immense love, and the response from Kannadigas, in particular, has been phenomenal — more so than from audiences elsewhere. We make films for our people to enjoy, and seeing them connect so deeply makes me genuinely happy.

SOM: Did you decide on* Kantara- Chapter 1 *after the success of* Kantara, *or was it planned earlier?

Rishab Shetty: The idea of doing a prequel existed right from the beginning. While writing *Kantara,* we unearthed several backstories that had strong potential for another narrative. When you're making a film like *Kantara,* it automatically puts you in a research mode, and during that process, we stumbled upon layers of stories that evolved into *Kantara - Chapter 1.* So, it wasn't just an afterthought following the sequel's success.

SOM: When comparing* Kantara *and* Kantara - Chapter 1, *there seems to be a significant difference in film-making. What was the thought process behind that?

Rishab Shetty: We learn something new from each project — each movie becomes a study material of sorts. Naturally, there's always a desire among film-makers and technicians to enhance the technical and visual experience with every project. We aimed to evolve with *Kantara - Chapter 1,* both technically and creatively, while staying true to the story.

SOM: What was the thought behind selecting a new lead actress for the movie?

Rishab Shetty: It's hard to single out one character, as every role in a film holds importance. We always try to encourage new talent, especially from our surroundings, as it helps bring authenticity to the characters on screen.

In *Kantara - Chapter 1,* we have actors like Gulshan Devaiah, Rukmini Vasanth and Jayaram Subramaniam in prominent roles, alongside Bala Rajawadi, Mangala and others from a strong theatre background who have contributed immensely to the film's depth and performance quality.

SOM: The dialogues in the movie are in a different Kannada dialect. How did the actors — especially those not belonging to the region — adapt to it?

Rishab Shetty: Many actors in the film weren't familiar with the dialect, including Rukmini Vasanth and a few others. To help them, we conducted special language workshops. Since most of them come from a theatre background, they grasped it quickly. I believe that in any art form, one must remain a student — always learning — to deliver authentic performances.

SOM: In* Kantara - Chapter 1, *you've portrayed 'Nandi' differently. What was the idea behind that?

Rishab Shetty: That aspect has been slightly misunderstood by a few people. The concept we've depicted is actually that of the 'Brahma Rakshasa' not 'Nandi'. 'Nandi', whom we worship, is entirely different and sacred. What we've shown is a creative representation of a demonic force — something that exists in various mythological narratives.

SOM: The movie also showcases different forms of 'Guliga Daivas.' How did you approach adapting to such intense characters?

Rishab Shetty: I prefer not to explain too much about the 'Daivas' because it's something that should remain an experience for the audience. My intention was to bring the rich folklore of undivided Dakshina Kannada to the screen and give viewers a powerful and immersive cinematic journey.

SOM: Do you enjoy directing or acting more? And could you share something about your next project?

Rishab Shetty: Direction has always been my first love. As for what's next, I can only say for now that my upcoming project is *Jai Hanuman*.

Squatters for... 32 years!

50 LIG houses built by CITB, now MDA, illegally occupied by people with political blessings

▶ SHOCK-1 : Majority occupants have rented out their illegally-occupied houses

▶ SHOCK-2 : In 32 years no officer has inspected or evicted the illegal occupants

MDA Revenue Inspectors Manjunath and Mahadevaswamy issuing notices to occupants of illegally-occupied houses and taking signatures acknowledging receipt of the notices.

Mysuru, Oct. 17 (RK&BCT)- In a shocking case of unregulated urban development, a 50-unit housing layout originally built by City Improvement Trust Board (CITB, later renamed as Mysuru Urban Development Authority-MUDA and now, Mysuru Development Authority-MDA), for economically weaker sections has remained in bureaucratic limbo for over three decades — forgotten, unregulated, and quietly taken over.

For 32 years, several families have illegally occupied these houses. Some have even converted them into rental properties, profiting from public assets without scrutiny.

Despite the lack of legal ownership, the Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) has been providing full civic amenities — including water, electricity, garbage clearance and underground drainage — effectively legitimising these encroachments.

Now, the MDA has finally stepped in. Notices have been served to all occupants, directing them to produce proof of ownership within seven days. Failure to comply will attract eviction and criminal proceedings.

The layout in question is located at Hebbal First Stage, opposite the City Improvement Trust Board (CITB) Choultry, now known as Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar Convention Hall, in Subramanya Nagar. The houses were constructed in 1988-89 for low-income groups.

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However, after construction, the houses were never allotted to the intended beneficiaries. Officers simply forgot about the project, leading to widespread illegal occupation over the last 32 years.

There are no records of house allotments, beneficiaries, rent payments, advances or revenue generated. The entire layout has been operating without any official oversight or monetary trail.

Shockingly, MCC continued to provide civic amenities to these unauthorised occupants without verifying essential ownership documents such as possession certificates, completion reports or approvals — all mandatory prerequisites for service connections.

The anomaly came to light recently when MDA Secretary K. Johnson identified the irregularities and brought them to the attention of MDA Commissioner K.R. Rakshith, who has since ordered a complete eviction and property recovery drive.

It is learnt, MUDA had auctioned a few houses in the layout several years ago. Yesterday, MDA Revenue Inspectors T. Manjunath and Mahadevaswamy issued eviction notices to 21 houses. Signatures acknowledging receipt of notices were obtained while notices were pasted on doors of houses found locked.

Task Force to safeguard MDA assets

(Continued from page 1)

The second and third Task Forces will be headed by Officers A. Nagesh and S.N. Naragund, respectively, with Raviprasad, S. Gangadhar, Mahadevaswamy, Kempanna, K.C. Umesh, B.M. Shruthi and T.M. Sachin as members.

These teams will verify and furnish detailed reports on identified encroachments, cross-checking them against official land records to confirm ownership. Once verified, proper documentation and file management procedures will be followed.

All officers have been directed to identify properties where unauthorised construction or occupation has occurred on MDA land.

Evictions will be carried out under the provisions of the Public Premises (Eviction of Unauthorised Occupants) Act, 1974, and reclaimed properties will be secured and handed back to MDA.

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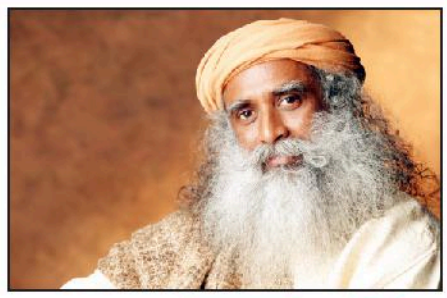


Deepavali

Beating the Inertia

Sadhguru: The culture of celebrating Deepavali goes back 12,000 - 15,000 years. People realised how, during this time of the year, life hits a point of inertia and does not happen at the normal pace. For the northern hemisphere of the planet, due to the position of the sun, it is winter. But above all, the forces of gravity work in such a way that there is a kind of stagnation and nothing grows well at this time.

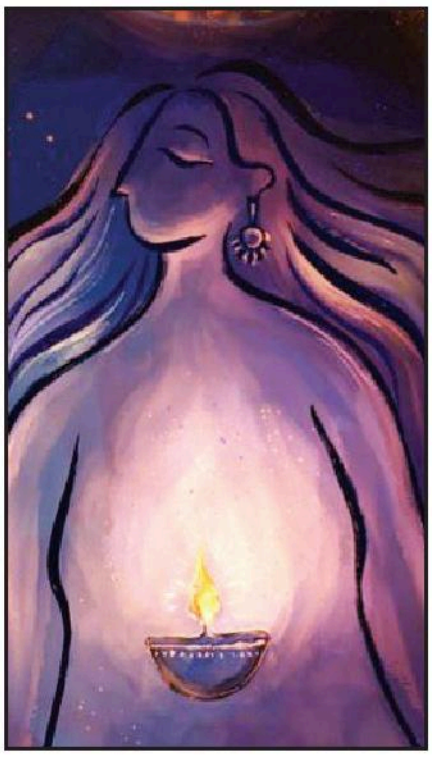
In India, which is probably the only country with a 12,000-year history of agriculture, people observed that at this time of the year, seeds either do not sprout or sprout very slowly. The very life process slows down and inertia sets in.

Inertia means death; dynamism means life. In a way, a kind of temporary death occurs in all our systems. Mentally, you may become depressed, and physiologically you slow down in many ways. To make use of this state of inertia as a period of incubation rather than allowing it to affect us mentally and physiologically, we evolved various systems.

During the entire lunar month of Kartik, people light up lamps to keep up the aliveness in their houses. Unlike today when there are electric lamps, when we were using oil lamps normally due to economic conditions, people lit one or two lamps for practical purposes. But when this particular month came, they would light as many lamps as possible, at the entrance of the home and inside it, because this is the time when the human mind can become naturally depressive. This became a festival of lights. So Deepavali was not just for one day but was supposed to be for the whole month.

Historically, Deepavali is called Naraka Chaturdashi. When Naraka Chaturdashi comes, at four o'clock in the morning, crackers will burst all over the country. Nobody can sleep through that; everybody wakes up and comes alive because it is important that you come up before the sun in winter months. The first rays of the sun should not hit a blade of grass or some other worm or insect — the first rays of sun must hit you. That is why, before sunrise, everyone is out to receive the first rays of sun upon themselves. The important thing is to beat the inertia.

Life is a play of time and energy. All of us have a certain amount of time and energy. As far as time is concerned, for all of us it is rolling at the same pace. No one can slow it down, no one can hasten it. The only thing is that if you are very joyful, your experience of time will become very brief. It does not



matter if you live to be a hundred, it is still very brief. For the potential that human beings carry, a hundred years is nothing. But if inertia has set into you and you are miserable, suddenly it feels like time is not rolling. Twenty-four hours will pass like an eon for you.

Only miserable people can live a long life. If you are joyful, it is a very brief life. You will see that the more miserable a society is, the more the need for entertainment will arise. The need for entertainment will go up tremendously in a society where there is a deep-rooted misery in people. Where people are joyful, they will not have time for entertainment; joy will take up everything. They wake up in the morning and before they know it, it is already night.

Deepavali is called Naraka Chaturdhashi because Narakasura, a very cruel king, was killed by Krishna on this day. *Narak* means hell; one who causes hell to everyone is a Narakasura. But, evil need not necessarily come in the form of demons. Inertia is the source of *narak* or hell because once inertia sets in, you *are* hell.

Not that you go to hell — you are hell. In a variety of ways, we are letting this inertia of life into us. Desperation, depression and frustration can cause much more damage to one's life than the demons that you have not seen. Deepavali is a reminder to slay all that is negative to our life.

[Sadhguru, a yogi, is a visionary, humanitarian and a prominent spiritual leader. An author, poet and internationally-renowned speaker, Sadhguru's wit and piercing logic provoke and widen our perception of life. ***www.ishafoundation.org]***

Dr. KBG Memorial

Road Races on Sunday

Dr. KBG

Mysuru, Oct. 17- Mysore Athletics Club will be conducting Road Races for students (boys and girls) in memory of *Star of Mysore* and *Mysuru Mithra* Founder-Editor late Dr. K.B. Ganapathy (KBG) at Mysore University Oval Grounds, near Old DC's Office in city on Sunday (Oct. 19).

Star of Mysore & *Mysuru Mithra* Managing Editor Vikram Muthanna and Executive Director Mickey Bopanna, sons of KBG, will be inaugurating the Road Races at 7 am.

Chamaraja MLA K. Harishgowda, Senior Journalist Amshi Prasanna Kumar, Mysore Athletics Club Patron Dr. C. Krishna, Mysore District Masters Athletic Association President Sumana Narasimhamurthy and Karnataka State Fire and Emergency Services (Bengaluru) Director and former Athlete T.N. Shivashankara will be the guests of honour.

DCP (Law & Order) R.N. Bindu Mani, Bhanavi Hospital Medical Director Dr. N. Vijay Cheluvaraj, Journalist K. Narasimhamurthy, University of Mysore's Department of Physical Education (DPE) Director Dr. C. Venkatesh, KSA (Bengaluru) Pistol Sharp Shooter H.D. Aravind Gowda and social worker Harish Moganna will be the special invitees.

Mysore Athletics Club President Dr. Chainsingh Rajpurohit will preside.

Prize Distribution Ceremony will be held at 9.15 am at the same venue.

Race Categories: 100 mts for children below five years; 400 mts for Primary School students, 800 mts for Middle School, 1.5 kms race for High School and 2 kms for 1st and 2nd PUC students. For details, contact Mob: 94480-46667.

Dr. U.T. Uthappa of Kodagu

among 'Top 2% Scientists in World'

Mysuru, Oct. 17 (BCT)- Dr. Uluvangada T. Uthappa (Sanju), a native of Kodagu, has been recognised among the 'Top 2% Scientists in the World (2025 Survey)' compiled by Stanford University, USA.

The annual list, prepared by Prof. John P.A. Ioannidis of Stanford in collaboration with Elsevier and Scopus, identifies the world's most influential scientific researchers representing about 2% of all scientists globally. The rankings are based on standardised citation metrics and composite indicators of scientific impact.

Dr. Uthappa is currently serving as a Post-Doctoral Researcher/Scientist at the College of Chemistry and Environmental Engineering, Shenzhen University, China. Earlier, he worked as a Post-Doctoral Fellow at Chonnam National University (2021-2022) and as a Research Professor at Yeungnam University (2022-2023) in South Korea. He obtained his Ph.D in Chemistry from Jain University, Bengaluru, in 2021. His research focuses on addressing global challenges in environment, health, food and agriculture sectors.

Dr. U.T. Uthappa

He has published over 50 articles in reputed international peer-reviewed journals, with more than 2,300 citations and an H-index of 25. He has also filed two patents in South Korea and one in China. An extraordinary achiever, Dr. Uthappa is the son of Uluvangada Sabu Thammaiah and Meena, residents of T. Shettigeri, Ponnampet Taluk, Kodagu.

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Cultural Outreach Programme at BVB Mysuru tomorrow

Vidu. Sukanya Ramgopal

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Mysuru, Oct. 17- As part of its 154th Cultural Outreach Programme, Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan (BVB), Mysuru, in association with BVB Bengaluru and Infosys Foundation, Bengaluru, has organised a 'Laya Raga Samarpanam - Sthree Thaal Tharang' programme by **Vidu. Sukanya Ramgopal and team — Vidu. Srividya Ramanath** (vocal), **Vidu. Vani Manjunath** (flute), **Vidu. Lakshmi Rajasekar** (mridanga) **and Vidu. Bhagyalakshmi M. Krishna** (morching) — at BVB Mysuru Kendra in Vijayanagar 1st Stage at 6 pm on Oct. 18.

Sukanya Ramgopal is one of the frontline musicians of India and the first woman ghata artiste of the country. Over the past 50 years, she has mastered the art of playing ghata in Karnatak music.

Born on June 13, 1957, in Mayiladuthurai in Tamil Nadu, Sukanya initially began training in the mridanga at the tender age of 12 at Sri Jaya Ganesh Talavadya Vidyalaya in Chennai, under the tutelage of T.R. Harihara Sharma. She also learnt the violin under Gurumurthy. However, it was the ghata that was her true calling. Under the able guidance of Harihara Sharma and later under Vikku Vinayakram, Sukanya trained rigorously on ghata. Over the last five decades, Sukanya has mastered the unique ghata fingering techniques and is today considered as one of the true torch-bearers of the Vikku baani of ghata playing.

She is also a proficient performer on the Konnakol (vocal percussion). Sukanya hails from a family of musicians and Tamil scholars. She is the great granddaughter of Mahamahopadyaya Dr. U.V. Swaminatha Iyer, fondly known as 'Tamil Tatha' (grand old man of Tamil). Ghanam Krishnaier, the famous vocalist of the Ghanam Margam is also in her family tree.

The Ghata Tharang is a unique idea conceptualised by Sukanya. Her commitment to breaking new ground has inspired her to play the Ghata Tharang with 6-7 ghatas of different shruthis, thereby creating melody on a percussion instrument. This is the first time that a percussion instrument has come to occupy the centre-stage in a Karnatak concert. Sukanya was awarded the best lecture-demonstration award by the reputed music institution The Madras Music Academy for a presentation on this concept.

Sukanya has provided ghata accompaniment to several senior Karnatak musicians and has performed across prominent venues in India and other countries. Sukanya leads an all women's instrumental ensemble called Sthree Thaal Tharang.

Sukanya is an 'A top' grade artiste of All India Radio and is also empanelled by the ICCR as an 'Outstanding Artiste' - the topmost category for performing artistes of the country. She has received numerous awards and recognitions including the prestigious Sangeet Natak Akademi Puraskar-2014.

Bhagini Raaga Sourabha

to feature Karnatak Vocal Concert

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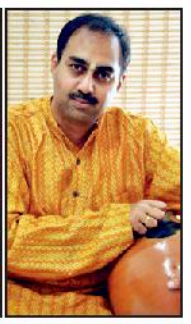

Raghunandan

Mysuru, Oct. 17- BSS Vidyodaya and RAAGA Music Academy, Mysuru, in association with Sanskar Bharati, will present Bhagini Raaga Sourabha, a grand evening of Karnatak music featuring **Vid. N.R. Prashanth** at BSS Vidyodaya in Krishnamurthypuram tomorrow (Oct. 18) at 6 pm.

Being under the tutelage of stalwarts like Vid. R.K. Padmanabha, Titte Krishna Iyengar, Vidu. Neela Ramgopal and Prof. R. Visweswaran, Vid. Prashanth is known for his scholarly approach to Karnatak music, marked by raga purity, imaginative renditions, measured use of gamakas and rhythmic depth.

An A-Grade artiste of All India Radio (AIR), he has performed extensively across India and abroad, including in the UK, USA, Malaysia, Singapore and Australia.

A unique highlight of his music journey is his mastery in performing Eka Raga concerts, where he explores the depths of a single raga in innovative ways.

He has served as the Academy Registrar and Senior Faculty Member at the Singapore Indian Fine Arts Society (SIFAS), and has over 3,000 concerts and thematic performances to his credit.

His contributions to Karnatak music and music education have earned him several honours, including the Sangeetha Sarvabhouma International Award, Kannada Seva Rathna Award, Swaralaya Rathna and Kala Bharathi Award.

For this concert, Vid. Prashanth will be accompanied by **Vidu. C.V. Shruthi** on violin, **Vid. B.S. Prashanth** on mridanga and **Vid. Raghunandan Rao** on ghata.

For more details, contact Koviladi Kala on Mob: 94497-03610, according to a press release.

Vocal Concerts in city

Mysuru, Oct. 17- **Sree Ramabhyudaya Sabha Charitable Trust,** as part of its monthly cultural programme, has organised Karnatak Classical Vocal Concert by Vid. M.G. Ranganath at its premises, Sri Rama Mandira, Srirampet, at 6.30 pm tomorrow (Oct. 18).

N.R. Mohalla Sangeetha Sabha Charitable Trust has also organised a Vocal Concert by Vid. Dattaprasad Avadhooth at Sri Prasanna Mahaganapathi Temple on Shivaji Road in N.R. Mohalla at 6.30 pm tomorrow. He will be accompanied by Vidu. Prithvi Bhaskar on violin and Vid. Pranav Subramaniaya on mridanga.

Surabhi Ganakala Mandira

to present 'Yuva Sourabha'

Vid. Raghuram

Vid. Keshav

Vid. Vinod

Vid. Sumukh

Mysuru, Oct. 17- Surabhi Ganakala Mandira, Mysuru, is presenting the 4th concert of its new series 'Yuva Sourabha' at Ganabharathi's Veene Seshanna Bhavan in Kuvempunagar on Oct. 18 at 5.30 pm.

It features a vocal concert of Karnatak Classical Music by Vid. R. Raghuram from Bengaluru, accompanied by Vid. Keshav Mohankumar on violin, Vid. Anoor Vinod Shyam on mridanga and Vid. Sumukh Karanth on kanjira.

The renowned mridanga artiste, Vid. H.L. Shivashankara Swamy will be the guest of honour.

Profiles

Vid. R. Raghuram is the son of the famous mridanga artiste, late Vid. R.A. Rajagopalan and the disciple of Vid. R.A. Ramamani and Vid. T.A.S. Mani. He has performed extensively across the country and abroad. He also gives vocal support for dance recitals of well-known dancers like Vid. Nirupama Rajendra and Vid. Kiran Subrahmanyam.

Vid. Keshav Mohankumar is the disciple of the great Violin Guru, Vid. H.K. Narasimhamurthy. An 'A' grade artiste of All India Radio (AIR), Keshav has accompanied many stalwarts, on violin.

Vid. Anoor Vinod Shyam, the son and disciple of Vid. Anoor Anantha Krishna Sharma, is one of the much sought-after mridanga artistes of the younger generation. He is also an 'A' grade artiste of AIR.

Vid. Sumukh Karanth has learnt kanjira under the tutelage of Vid. Kunjur H. Ravikumar. A 'B-high' grade artiste, Sumukh has won the first prize at the National-level music competition conducted by AIR.

Bhushans perform for Kerala Sangeetha Nataka Academy

Internationally acclaimed celebrity Bharatanatyam artiste couple Badari Divya Bhushan and Dr. Anjana, the Artistic Directors of Bhushans' Academy of Performing Arts and Visual Presentation, Mysuru and Bengaluru, along with their sons — Abhyuday Dhyan Bhushan and Abhignan Vedant Bhushan — presenting a mesmerising, exceptionally choreographed production 'Ramabhyudayam,' a musical dance theatrical based on Navarasa Ramayana for the Thribhanga Festival at Angamaly, Kochi. The event was organised by Kerala Sangeeta Nataka Academy.

SINGLE SCREEN THEATRES

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  Dude (Ta) - 4 Shows
- **Woodlands Theatre** — **Ph: 2422871**
  Kantara: A Legend Chapter-1 (K) - 4 Shows
- **Gayathri Theatre** — **Ph: 2443568**
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- **Mahadeshwara Theatre** — **Mob: 99008-20093**
  Kantara: A Legend Chapter-1 (K) - 4 Shows
- **Prabha Theatre** — **Mob: 98454-14691**
  Premigala Gamanakke (K) - 4 Shows
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  Telusu Kadha (Te) - 4 Shows
- **Padma Theatre** — **Ph: 2521923**
  Diesel (Ta) - 4 Shows
- **Balaji Theatre** — **Mob: 98863-25207**
  Saiyaara (H) - 3 Shows

MOVIES AT DRC CINEMAS Ph: 4240422 4241800

Dude (Ta)	(S-1)	10.10 am, 4.20 pm
	(S-3)	7.20 pm, 10.15 pm
Kantara: A Legend Chapter - 1 (K)	(S-1)	1 pm, 7.10 pm, 10.30 pm
	(S-3)	4 pm
	(S-4)	9 am, 12.20 pm, 3.40 pm
		7.05 pm, 10.30 pm
Bison Kaalamaadan (Ta)	(S-2)	10 am, 4.15 pm
Diesel (Ta)	(S-2)	1.20 pm
Telusu Kadha (Te)	(S-2)	7.35 pm
The Pet Detective (Ma)	(S-2)	10.20 pm
Premigala Gamanakke (K)	(S-3)	10.25 am
Time Pass (K)	(S-3)	1.15 pm

MOVIES AT MYSURU VISION CINEMAS Ph: 2973519

Timepass (K)	:	10.35 am
Kantara: A Legend Chapter - 1 (K)	:	10.45 am, 1 pm, 2.30 pm
		4.20 pm, 6.10 pm
		7.45 pm, 9.30 pm
Telusu Kadha (Te)	:	1 pm
Premigala Gamanakke (K)	:	3.40 pm
Bison Kaalamaadan (Ta)	:	6.15 pm, 9.30 pm
Dude (Ta)	:	6.35 pm, 9.20 pm

MOVIES AT NEXUS MALL

Kantara: A Legend Chapter - 1 (K)	:	8.05 am, 9.05 am, 10.25 am
		11.15 am, 12.15 pm, 2.40 pm
		3.40 pm, 6.05 pm, 6.55 pm
		7.05 pm, 9.30 pm, 9.45 pm
		10 pm, 10.30 pm
Kantara: A Legend Chapter - 1 (H)	:	9.10 am, 3.10 pm
Dude (Ta)	:	10 am, 4 pm, 10.20 pm
Timepass (K)	:	11.15 am
Telusu Kadha (Te)	:	12.20 pm, 7.20 pm
Bison Kaalamaadan (Ta)	:	12.40 pm, 6.35 pm
Diesel (Ta)	:	1.40 pm
Mahayoddha Rama (H)	:	1.50 pm
K- Ramp (Te)	:	4.15 pm, 10.10 pm
Mithra Mandali (Te)	:	4.40 pm
Good Fortune (E)	:	7.30 pm

MOVIES AT GARUDA MALL

Kantara: A Legend Chapter - 1 (K)	:	8.20 am, 9.05 am, 9.40 am
		11.30 am, 12.15 pm, 2.55 pm
		3.40 pm, 6.20 pm, 7.05 pm
		9.45 pm, 10.30 pm
Premigala Gamanakke (K)	:	11.05 am
Dude (Ta)	:	12.50 pm, 7.10 pm
Timepass (K)	:	1.50 pm
Bison Kaalamaadan (Ta)	:	3.45 pm, 10.05 pm
Telusu Kadha (Te)	:	4.30 pm
K- Ramp (Te)	:	7.20 pm
Mithra Mandali (Te)	:	10.15 pm

EVENTS TODAY (OCT. 17)

- **Karnataka Exhibition Authority (KEA):** Dasara Exhibition, Dasara Exhibition Grounds, **3 pm to 10 pm.**
- **Inchara Kalakshetra:** Handmade (Paper Pulp) Doll Show by K.S. Raghavendra — Over 500 dolls of Paper Pulp depicting Sri Srinivasa Kalyana, Sri Raghavendra Swamy Mahime and Dashavataradalli Sri Krishna Bala Leele — Inchara Kalakshetra, #149/150, 4th Cross, 3rd Main, Mahadeshwaranagar, Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, **4 pm to 8 pm.** [Mob: 98867-64542 or 98867-21171]
- **Gemini Circus:** Shows at Horse Park Grounds, near Karanji Lake, **4 pm and 7 pm.**
- **Sadhana Mandira:** Special Training Sessions - Learn & Perform, Simple and Diligent, Saraswati Puja Swami Hamsananda, Yedatore Sri Yoganandeshwara Mutt, #211, 2nd Main, Metagalli Extension, **4.45 pm to 5.30 pm;** Sri Krishna Mandira, 6th Main, 3rd Stage, Gokulam, **6 pm to 6.45 pm;** Samudaya Bhavana, near Gurudwara, Brindavan Extension 2nd Stage, **7 pm to 7.45 pm.**
- **Akhila Bharata Sharana Sahitya Parishat and Kalpa Heritage Trust:** Screening of documentary 'Yugapurusha Basavanna,' Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji will be present, Silver Jubilee Hall, JSS Law College, New Kantharaj Urs Road, Kuvempunagar, **6 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (OCT. 18)

- **Mysore Diocesan Educational Society (MDES), St. Joseph's Central School, Vijayanagar:** Diamond Jubilee celebrations, Inter-High School Kannada Debate and Folk Song Singing Competitions on the theme 'Green Campus, Clean Campus,' R. Manjunath, Assistant Professor, JSS Institute of Education, Kowdalli, Sakleshpur, inaugurates, **9 am;** Valedictory and prize distribution function, school premises, **1.30 pm.**
- **Kodava Samaja, Mysuru:** Cauvery (Kaveri) Sankramana, Kani Puja, Distribution of Holy water (Theertha) to all the devotees, Samaja premises, Vijayanagar 1st Stage, **10 am.**
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- **Akhila Karnataka Aided Schools-Colleges Employees Association - Bengaluru, Mysuru District Unit:** Mega Convention, former MLC Maritibbegowda inaugurates, Association State President G. Hanumantappa presides, Congress leader M. Lakshmana special invitee, Mysuru District President Dr. Sharath Kumar speaks, Banumaiah's Educational Institution, Mysuru, **10.15 am.**
- **Mysuru Photo Journalist Association (MPJA), Mysuru:** State-level News Photography Contest Chief Minister Cup Prize Distribution Ceremony, Chief Minister Siddaramaiah inaugurates, Mysuru District Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa, Chamarajanagar District Minister K. Venkatesh, MLAs G.T. Devegowda, Tanveer Sait, K. Harishgowda and T.S. Srivatsa, MLCs Dr. D. Thimmaiah and K. Shivakumar, Chief Minister's Media Advisor K.V. Prabhakar and University of Mysore Vice-Chancellor Prof. N.K. Lokanath chief guests, Rani Bahadur Auditorium, Hunsur Road, **11.30 am.**
- **Gemini Circus:** 3 shows at Horse Park Grounds, near Karanji Lake, **1 pm, 4 pm and 7 pm.**
- **Karnataka Exhibition Authority (KEA):** Dasara Exhibition, Dasara Exhibition Grounds, **3 pm to 10 pm.**
- **Kumar Performing Arts Centre (KPAC), Mysuru:** Bharatanatyam dance programme titled 'Guruvandana' by Kalemane Sisters — *Nritya Visharade* K.M. Lekha and *Nritya Visharade* K.M. Nidhi — Kalemane Sabhaangana, Hebbal 2nd Stage, **4 pm onwards.**
- **Kalasuruchi:** 'Kathe Kelona Banni-821,' story-telling by B. Bala-krishnaiah, Retd. Teacher and State Resource Person, Department of Education, Mysuru, Suruchi Rangamane, #476, Kuvempunagar, **4.30 pm to 5.30 pm.**
- **Sadhana Mandira:** Special Training Sessions - Learn & Perform, Simple and Diligent, Saraswati Puja by Swami Hamsananda, Yedatore Sri Yoganandeshwara Mutt, #211, 2nd Main, Metagalli Extension, **4.45 pm to 5.30 pm;** Sri Krishna Mandira, 6th Main, 3rd Stage, Gokulam, **6 pm to 6.45 pm;** Samudaya Bhavana, near Gurudwara, Brindavan Extension 2nd Stage, **7 pm to 7.45 pm.**
- **Sharana Sahitya Parishat, City Unit, Mysuru:** Endowment Programme, Nanjangud's Boys Government PU College Lecturer Dr. K. Malathi delivers lecture on 'Sharaneyara Jeevana Moulyagalu,' Parishat Mysuru City Unit Vice-President M. Chinnaswamy presides, 'Shivashree' students hostel, No. 1375, B.B. Laya, K.R. Mohalla, **5 pm.**
- **Surabhi Ganakala Mandira:** 'Yuva Sourabha,' Karnatak classical vocal music concert by Vid. R. Raghuram from Bengaluru, accompanied by Vid. Keshav Mohankumar on violin, Vid. Anoor Vinod Shyam on mridanga and Vid. Sumukh Karanth on kanjira; Renowned mridangist Vid. H.L. Shivashankara Swamy guest of honour, Ganabharathi's Veene Seshanna Bhavan, Kuvempunagar, **5.30 pm.**
- **Sri Thyagaraja Sangeetha Sabha Charitable Trust, V.V. Mohalla:** Classical vocal concert by Vid. Bangalore M. Nishanth, accompanied by Vid. Krithik Koushik on violin, Vid. Nandan Kashyap on mridanga and Vid. K.M. Likhith on morching, Jayanagar Sri Rama Mandira, **6 pm.**
- **Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan (BVB), Mysuru, BVB Bengaluru and Infosys Foundation, Bengaluru:** 154th Cultural Outreach Programme, 'Laya Raga Samarpanam - Sthree Thaal Tharang' programme by Vidu. Sukanya Ramgopal and team — Vidu. Srividya Ramanath, Vidu. Vani Manjunath, Vidu. Lakshmi Rajasekar & Vidu. Bhagyalakshmi M. Krishna — BVB Mysuru Kendra, Vijayanagar 1st Stage, **6 pm.**
- **Sree Ramabhyudaya Sabha Charitable Trust:** Monthly cultural programme, Vocal concert by Vid. M.G. Ranganath, Trust premises, Sri Rama Mandira, Srirampet, **6.30 pm.**
- **N.R. Mohalla Sangeetha Sabha Charitable Trust:** Vocal concert by Vid. Dattaprasad Avadhooth, accompanied by Vidu. Prithvi Bhaskar on violin, Vid. Pranav Subramaniaya on mridanga, Sri Prasanna Mahaganapathi Temple, Shivaji Road, N.R. Mohalla, **6.30 pm.**
- **Farookh Academy of Medical Education, Mysuru and Abhushan Gold, Mysuru:** Rang-e-Sufiana by Rajasthani Langa Group, Jagannatha Centre for Art and Culture (JCAC) auditorium, Vijayanagar, **6.30 pm.**
- **Avadhoota Datta Peetham:** 4k Projection Mapping on 45-ft tall Karya Siddhi Hanuman statue, Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda (SGS) Ashram, Dattanagar, Nanjangud Road, **(3 Shows) 7.10 pm, 7.40 pm and 8.10 pm.**

MOVIES AT MALL OF MYSORE

Kantara: A Legend Chapter - 1 (K)	:	7.50 am, 8.50 am, 9.45 am
		11.15 am, 12.15 pm, 1.10 pm
		2.40 pm, 3.40 pm, 6.05, 6.35 pm
		7.05 pm, 9.30 pm, 10 pm, 10.30 pm
Dude (Ta)	:	9.45 am, 7.25 pm
K- Ramp (Te)	:	12.40 pm
Diesel (Ta)	:	3.35 pm
Mithra Mandali (Te)	:	4.35 pm
Bison Kaalamaadan (Ta)	:	10.20 pm

MOVIES AT CENTRO MALL

Kantara: A Legend Chapter - 1 (K)	:	8.05 am, 8.50 am, 1.30 am
		12.15 pm, 2.55 pm, 3.40 pm
		6.20 pm, 7.05 pm, 9.45 pm
Kantara: A Legend Chapter - 1 (H)	:	10.30 pm
Bison Kaalamaadan (Ta)	:	10.50 am, 10.10 pm
Premigala Gamanakke (K)	:	10.50 am
Mithra Mandali (Te)	:	1.35 pm
Timepass (K)	:	2.15 pm
Dude (Ta)	:	4.30 pm
The Pet Detective (Ma)	:	4.55 pm
K- Ramp (Te)	:	7.25 pm
Paathirathri (Ma)	:	7.30 pm
Telusu Kadha (Te)	:	10.20 pm

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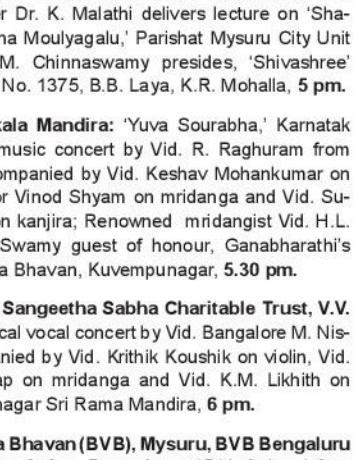

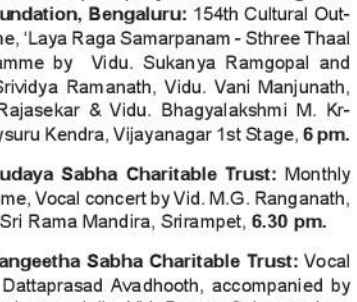

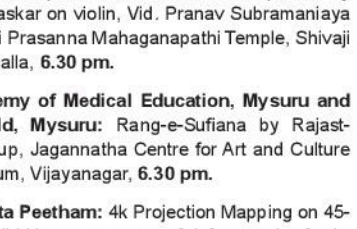

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